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United States v. Bridges, 901 F. Supp. 2d 677 (W. D. Va. 2012). On January 24, 2013, the defendant was sentenced to 18 months of imprisonment, to be followed by three years of supervision. The judgment was affirmed by the court of appeals. *United States v. Bridges*, 741 F.3d 464, 470 (4th Cir. 2014).

Bridges has served his time in prison. He reports that his release date was August 15, 2013, and he requests that his supervision be terminated or reduced because he has so far obeyed all of the conditions of supervision.

I have the authority to terminate a term of supervised release and discharge the defendant after the expiration of one year of supervision, if justified by the defendant's conduct and in the interest of justice. 18 U.S.C. § 3583(e)(1). While I am pleased that the defendant appears to be satisfying his obligations, I will not exercise my discretion to reduce his supervision. In light of the seriousness of his offense, and the defendant's history and characteristics as shown by the presentence investigation report, I believe that further supervision as ordered is required.

For the foregoing reasons, it is **ORDERED** that the defendant's motion (ECF No. 80) is DENIED.

ENTER: September 18, 2014

/s/ James P. Jones
United States District Judge